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SUBJ : FY 1975 FMS CREDIT FOR COLOMBIA

B. SECDEF MESSAGE TO MILGP 132147 JUNE 75

1. DEPARTMENT IS HOLDING OPEN OFFER OF \$17 MILLION IN
FY 1975 FMS CREDIT FOR GOC. SINCE TIME REQUIRED TO

CONSUMMATE LOAN AGREEMENT IS REACHING CRITICAL STAGE,
HOWEVER, WE MUST RECEIVE TRI-SERVICE LIST OF REQUIREMENTS
(REQUESTED REF A) BY OPENING OF BUSINESS MONDAY JUNE 23.
IF THE LIST NOT RECEIVED BY THEN THE GOC CREDIT MUST BE
REALLOCATED TO OTHER COUNTRIES.

2. JUNE 23 DEADLINE ALSO APPLIES TO NOTIFICATION OF GOC
COMMITMENT TO USG TO PAY ARREARAGES ON PRIOR YEAR
CREDITS NOTED REF. B. IT IS NOT FEASIBLE TO REQUEST
TREASURY TO EXTEND 1975 FMS CREDIT WHILE THESE ARREARAGES
ARE OUTSTANDING, IN THE ABSENCE OF A FIRM GOC COMMITMENT
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TO PAY.

3. IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT GOC OFFICIAL IN WASHINGTON BE
AUTHORIZED TO SIGN LOAN AGREEMENT AND NOTE AND BEGIN
DISCUSSIONS WITH US TREASURY OFFICIALS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
PER PARAGRAPHS 9 THROUGH 12 REF A, IN THE EVENT THAT
EMBASSY CAN OBTAIN LIST AND GOC COMMITMENT REQUESTED ABOVE.
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